OFFICE OF THE STATE STATISTICIAN FOR MYSORE, BANGALORE.

PART IV—WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

Model Form (D1).

Weekly Weather and Crop Report for the week ending Wednesday, the 15th October 1958.

Serial Number	Name of the District	No. of rainy days in the week	Rainfall in Millimetres: During the week — Actual	During the week — Normal	Since the beginning of the season* — Actual	Since the beginning of the season* — Normal	Condition of **: Crop	Livestock	Fodder	Water supply	Remarks
							(From 1—10—1958.)				
1	Bangalore...	1	9·2	84·9	181·5	76·1	Fair ...	Good	Sufficient ...	Sufficient ...	(a)
2	Kolar ...	1	7·8	27·4	159·6	59·6	Fair ...	Good except for the prevalence of "Black Quarter" at one village of Siddlaghatta taluk	Do ...	Do ...	(b)
3	Tumkur ...	1	7·8	31·4	98·6	70·8	Fair ...	Good	Do ...	Do ...	
4	Mysore ...	2	14·7	38.4	101·0	98·6	Fair ...	Fair except in three villages of Kollegal taluk where "Black Quarter" is prevailing.	Do ...	Do ...	(c)
5	Mandya ...	1	15·9	35·6	106·2	86·8	Fair ...	Fair	Do ...	Do ...	
6	Hassan ...	2	25·6	36·3	145·5	70 7	Fair ...	Good	Do ...	Do ...	(d)
7	Chikmagalur	1	4·8	40·8	80·5	81·9	Fair ...	Good except in some villages of Sringeri taluk where "H.S. Disease" is prevailing.	Do ...	Do ...	
8	Shimoga ...	1	6·6	33·5	122.0	73·0	Fair ...	Good ...	Available ...	Sufficient. ...	(e)
9	Chitradurga	1	11·3	29·1	78·6	58·0	Fair except in some parts of Challakere taluk where dry crops have failed due to untimely rains.	Good except for the prevalence of "Black Quarter" at one village each of Harihar and Challakere taluks and other cattle disease at three villages of Holalkere taluk.	Do ...	Do ...	
10	Bellary ...	2	28·1	N.A.	58·0	N.A.	Fair ...	Good	Sufficient, except in Bellary taluk where scarcity of fodder is felt.	Do ...	
11	Bijapur ...	3	57·9	,,	89·0	,,	Fair except Kharif crops in Sindgi taluk are reported to be not fair.	Good except for the prevalence of "Black Quarter" and "H.S. disease" in parts of Indi taluk and "Black Quarter" at one village of Bijapur taluk.	Sufficient ...	Adequate ...	(f)
12	Belgaum ...	2	24·6	,,	44·9	,,	Fair except in parts of Raibag peth where crops are reported to be withering for want of rain.	Good except for the prevalence of cattle disease at one village each of Athani and Ramdurg taluks.	Do ...	Sufficient except at one village of Parasgad taluk.	(g)
13	Dharwar ...	2	25·6	,,	84·2	,,	Fair ...	Good except for the prevalence of "Galale Bene" at one village of Shiggaon taluk and "Black Quarter" at some parts of Haveri taluk.	Do ...	Adequate ...	(h)
14	North Kanara.	3	31·4	,,	59·4	,,	Do ...	Good	Adequate ...	Sufficient ...	(i)
15	Gulbarga ...	1	27·6	,,	36·8	,,	Do ...	Fair except for the prevalence of cattle disease at one village of Shahpur and some villages of Chitapur taluks.	Do ...	Do ...	
16	Raichur ...	1	6·0	,,	29·9	,,	Do ...	Good	Do ...	Do ...	(j)
17	Bidar ...	2	57·1	,,	67·1	,,	Fair except in Bidar taluk where crops are reported to be poor.	Do	Sufficient ...	Do ...	(k)
18	South Kanara.	3	32·9	,,	118·5	,,	Fair ...	Do	Do ...	Do ...	(l)
19	Coorg	5	442·4	407·7	1086·0	978·7	Fair except in Mercara taluk where Cardamom and Coffee crops have been affected by "dropping disease" due to heavy rains. Paddy crop is affected by insects in some hilly villages.	Do	Do ...	Do ...	

*The date of the beginning of the season may be indicated.
**EXPLANATIONS.—

Remarks—(a) Refers to whole District except Bangalore South Taluk. (b) Refers to whole District except Gauribidnur Taluk. (c) Refers to whole District except Hunsur Taluk. (d) Refers to whole District except Mandya Taluk. (e) Refers to whole District except Thirthahalli Taluk. (f) Refers to whole District except Badami Taluk. (g) Refers to whole District except Gokak Taluk. (h) Refers to whole District except Hangol and Dharwar Taluks. (i) Refers to whole District except Haliyal Taluk. (j) Refers to whole District except Lingsagur Taluk. (k) Refers to Bhalki and Bidar Taluks. (l) Refers to whole District except Mangalore Taluk.

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General weekly summary for the week ending Wednesday the 15th October 1958.

Rainfall	Sowing/Transplantation	Condition of Standing crops	Harvest	General progress of Agricultural operations	Water Supply	Fodder and pasture	Condition of cattle
1. Bangalore District.							
Sufficient in Channapatna, Bangalore North, Ramanagaram, Kanakapura and Anekal taluks.	Sowing of Horsegram is going on in Anekal taluk.	The standing crops are in fair condition.	Picking of groundnut is going on in Anekal and Nelamangala taluks.	Weeding and other Agricultural operations are in progress in 6 taluks.	Sufficient	Sufficient	Generally healthy
2. Kolar District							
Sufficient in Bangarapet, Malur, Srinivasapur, Chickballapur taluks, but insufficient in Kolar and Mulbagal taluks.	Nil	Do	Onions, Chillies, Garlics in Sidlaghatta taluk, groundnut in Bangarpet taluk, Onions and potatoes in Chickballapur taluk are being harvested.	Agricultural operations are in progress in 6 taluks	Do	Do	Generally healthy, except for the prevalence of "Blackquarter" at Eraguppahally of Sidlaghatta taluk. The Veterinary department has been addressed to check the spread of disease.
3. Tumkur District.							
Sufficient in Koratagere, Sira, Pavagada, Madhugiri, Tiptur, Tumkur taluks and beneficial to the crops in Kunigal taluk.	Transplantation of paddy is under progress in Sira and Pavagada taluks.	Generally fair, but paddy is attacked by "Kokke Roga" in a village of Tiptur taluk.	... ...	Do ...	Do ...	Available ...	Generally good
4. Mysore District.							
Sufficient and beneficial to the crops, but insufficient in Chamarajanagar taluk.	Nil	The standing crops are fair ...	Harvesting of groundnut and greengram in T.-Narsipur taluk is going on.	Progressing in 5 taluks.	Do ...	Do ...	Generally healthy, except for the prevalence of "Blackquarter" at 3 villages of Kollegal taluk.
5. Mandya District.							
Sufficient ...	Paddy is being transplanted in some places of Maddur and Malavalli taluks.	Do ...	Sugarcane in Maddur, Mandya and Pandavapura taluks.	Weeding is in progress in Nagamangala taluk.	Do ...	Sufficient ...	Generally healthy
6. Hassan District.							
Sufficient in Arsikere, Hassan, Arkalgud, Belur, Alur and Manjarabad taluks.	Nil	Do ...	Sugarcane in Channarayapatna and Hassan taluks.	Progressing in 4 taluks.	Available ...	Available ...	Do
7. Chickmagalur District.							
Sufficient in Sringeri, Mudigere, Koppa and Chikmagalur taluks.	Sowing of Bengalgram and Hingari jola is going on in Kadur taluk.	Do ...	Picking of Areca in Sringeri taluk is going on and harvesting of sugarcane, groundnut in Chickmagalur taluk is nearing completion.	Do ...	Sufficient ...	Do ...	Generally healthy, but H.S. disease is prevailing in some parts of Sringeri taluk. Preventive measures have been taken to check the spread of disease.

8. Shimoga District.

Sufficient ...	Nil	The standing crops are fair ...	Harvesting of Kesari jola and groundnut is under progress in Channagiri taluk.	Agricultural operations are in progress.	Sufficient ...	Available ...	Generally healthy.

9. Chitradurga District.

Sufficient but insufficient in Hosadurga, Holalkere and Challakere taluks.	Sowing of Bilijola in Hosadurga, Holalkere, Hiriyur, Jagalur, Chitradurga taluks and of paddy in Challakere taluk is going on.	The standing crops are in fair condition, except in Challakere taluk, where the dry crops have failed due to untimely rains.	Jola, sugarcane, ragi, til, groundnut, sesamum and samai.	Do ...	Do ...	Do ...	Generally healthy, but cattle disease at 2 village of Holalkere taluk and "Black quarter" at one villages each of Challakere and Harihar taluks are prevailing.

10. Bellary District.

Sufficient, but insufficient in Sirnguppa taluk. No rainfall in Harapanahalli and Hadagalli taluks.	Sowing of Hingari crops is in progress in Hospet, Hadagalli, Harapanahalli and Bellary taluks.	The crops are generally fair ...	Picking of groundnut is in full swing in Sandur, Kudligi, Harapanahalli, Bellary and Hospet taluks.	Do ...	Do ...	Sufficient, but scarcity for fodder is felt in Bellary taluk.	Generally healthy.

11. Bijapur District.

Sufficient in Bijapur, Bilgi, Mudhol, Jamkhandi taluks and beneficial to the crops in Sindgi, Indi, Bagewadi, taluks, but insufficient in Hungund and Muddebihal taluks.	Sowing of Rabi jowar in Mudhol, Muddebihal, Bagalkot, Hungund and Jamkhandi taluks and of wheat in Indi, Bagalkot, Bijapur, Sindgi and Hungund taluks is going on.	Do ...	Picking of groundnut in Bagalkot taluk is in progress.	Progressing in 6 taluks.	Adequate ...	Sufficient ...	Generally healthy, except in Indi taluk, where "Black quarter" and H S diseases are prevailing. "Blackquarter" is reported in Madabavi of Bijapur taluk.

12. Belgaum District.

Sufficient in most of the taluks, but insufficient and not well distributed in Chikodi and Athani taluks.	Showing of Rabi jowar in Ramdurg taluk and of cotton in Parasgad taluk is in progress.	The crops are fair, except in Raibag Mahal, where crops are withering for want of rains.	Harvesting of paddy is commenced in Khanapur, Chikodi and Belgaum taluks.	Weeding operations are in progress in Athani and Raibag taluks.	Adequate, except at Haralkatti of Parasgad taluk.	Sufficient ...	Generally healthy, except for the prevalence of cattle disease at one village each of Athani and Ramdurg taluks.

13. Dharwar District.

Sufficient and beneficial to the crops, except in Gadag taluk, where the rainfall is insufficient.	Sowing of Rabi jowar in Byadagi taluk, Rabi jowar and gram in Ranibennur taluk and wheat and gram in Kundgol taluk is in progress.	The crops are in fair, but cotton crop is much affected by "Red disease" in some villages of Ranibennur taluk.	Harvesting of groundnut is in progress in most of the taluks.	Interculturing operations are in progress.	Adequate ...	Adequate ...	Generally healthy, except for the prevalence of "Galale Roga" at one village of Shiggaon taluk and "Black Quarter" at one village of Haveri taluk.

14. North Kanara District.

Sufficient and beneficial to the crops, except in Karwar taluk, where the rainfall is harmful to the crops.	Nil	The crops are fair ...	Areca and paddy in Karwar taluk.	Harvesting is held up in Ankola taluk on account of rains.	Do ...	Sufficient ...	Generally health.

15. Gulbarga District.

Sufficient and beneficial to the crops in Shahpur, Aland, Sedam, Gulbarga and Jewargi taluks, but harmful to the crops in Chincholi and Afzalpur taluks.	Sowing of Rabi crops is in progress in some taluks.	Do ...	Picking of groundnut in Shahpur, Yadgir taluks and harvesting of Kangani in Jewargi taluk, warsi, Mung Udad and Chillies in Gulbarga taluk are going on.	Sowing is held up due to heavy rains in Chincholi taluk.	Sufficient ...	Do ...	Generally healthy, but cattle disease is prevailing in some villages of Chitapur taluk and in one village of Shahpur taluk.

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		16. Raichur District.					
Sufficient and well distributed in Raichur taluk and beneficial to crops in Yelburga taluk, but sufficient in Sindhnoor taluk.	Sowing of Rabi jowar in Manvi, Deodurg taluk and of wheat in Yelburga, taluk is in progress.	The standing crops are in fair condition, but the condition is not satisfactory in Sindhnoor taluk.	Harvesting of Kangani is in progress in Gangavathi taluk.	Agricultural operations are in progress in 6 taluks.	Sufficient ...	Available ...	No report of cattle disease.
		17. Bidar District.					
Sufficient in Balki taluk, but harmful to the crops in Bidar taluk.	Sowing of Rabi crops has been started in some parts of Bhalki and Bidar taluks.	The crops are fair in Bhalki, but the crops are much affected due to heavy rains in Bidar taluk.	.....	.....	Do ...	Sufficient	Generally good.
		18. South Kanara District.					
Sufficient, but harmful to the standing crops in Belthangady taluk.	Sowing and transplantation of II paddy is in progress.	The crops are fa ...	Harvesting of I paddy is in progress.	Agricultural operations are in progress.	Do ...	Adequate ...	Do
		19. Coorg District.					
Sufficient ...	Completed.	The crops are fair, except in Mercara Nad, where cardamom and coffee crops have been affected by "dropping disease" due to heavy rains. Paddy crop is affected by insects in some hilly villages in Mercara Nad.	Picking of Cardamom is in progress.	The progress is satisfactory.	Do ...	Do ...	Generally healthy.

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